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Proposed Claim Amendments

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1. (Currently Amended) In a computer system, an improved method for developing a Web application, the method comprising:

providing a Web application development framework, said framework including an abstract command tag that predefines at least some generic Web application activities;

specifying at least one custom action that is desired to be performed by a Web application;

creating an object-oriented programming language (OOPL) class that extends the abstract command tag for providing execution logic for said at least one custom action, in addition to pre-existing logic that supports said at least some generic Web application activities, thereby creating a corresponding customized command tag that is capable of being embedded within a Web page;

embedding the customized command tag in a Web page of the Web application; and

upon execution of the Web application including an embedded customized command tag in a Web page, invoking the customized command tag for conditionally executing said specified at least one custom action based on run-time conditions of the Web application and run-time values for one or more attributes included in the customized command tag,

wherein said conditionally executing executes or does not execute said custom action based on runtime conditions and runtime values {{AND/OR}}

wherein said conditionally executing includes or does not include content in the Web page based on runtime conditions and runtime values.